HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1243 By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize All-American Scholar Zach Martin of Ethridge.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, a student at Ethridge School, Zach Martin is one such exceptional student who was recently named an All-American Scholar by the United States Achievement Academy (USAA); the USAA has established the award to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines; and

WHEREAS, the All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3 or higher grade point average, and only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor, or other qualified sponsor are accepted; Zach Martin was nominated for the national award by his English teacher, Mr. Stan Lopez; and

WHEREAS, Zach Martin will appear in the All-American Scholar Yearbook, which is published nationally; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Zach Martin has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, Zach Martin's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success, and his noteworthy achievements are a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Quinn and Bette Martin; grandparents, Edward and Elizabeth Martin, Blaine Morse, and Elizabeth Rockwell Morse; his school; and his community; and

WHEREAS, Zach Martin's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Zach Martin of Ethridge on being named an All-American Scholar by the United States Achievement Academy, congratulate him upon his impressive academic achievements, and extend to him our best wishes for every continued success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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